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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

8 RALPH INTERNATIONAL THOMAS,  
9 Petitioner,  
10 v.  
11 ROBERT L. AYERS, Acting Warden of  
California State Prison at San Quentin  
12 Respondent.

No. C 93-0616 MHP

**ORDER GRANTING STIPULATED  
REQUEST FOR FURTHER EXTENSION  
OF TIME**

14 The parties have stipulated to extend time further for Petitioner to file his post-exhaustion  
15 petition. (Docket No. 208.) Pursuant to stipulation, the request for an extension of time is granted.

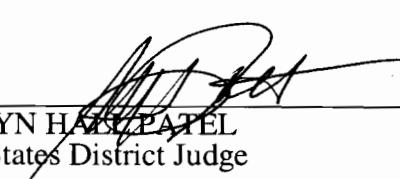
16 Petitioner shall file an amended petition addressing guilt phase claims by October 29, 2007,  
17 without prejudice to filing an amended petition addressing penalty phase claims at a later date.

18 Respondent shall file an answer addressing Petitioner's guilt phase claims by November 30,  
19 2007. Respondent shall concurrently file a request for a case management conference pursuant to  
20 Habeas Corpus Local Rule 2254-29.

21 The case management conference previously set for September 24, 2007 has been vacated.

22 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

23 DATED: 9/20/07

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MARILYN H. PATEL  
26 United States District Judge  
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